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TELEGRAPHIC.

Winnipeg, Sept. 12.
Mount Vesuvius is in eruption.
Hall Caine has arrived in New York.
The grain standards board has been made permanent.
La Patrie, of Montreal, is opposed to prohibition.
Roseland ore shipments aggregated 3,374 tons last week.
Four persons were killed by an explosion in Philadelphia.
Bashi Bazouks are raiding in the vicinity of Candia, Crete.
Further stories of horrible atrocities are received from Crete.
The Philippine leaders are openly hostile to the United States.
T. W. Chapple is appointed judge of the Rainy River district.
Sixty thousand people visited Toronto Exhibition Thursday.
Jerome, Arizona, was destroyed by fire. Three lives were lost.
Anarchists made an unsuccessful attempt on the life of the Czar.
A heavy snow fall is reported in Colorado, Kansas and Nebraska.
Snow fell about C. P. R. between Rat Portage and Fort Arthur.
The Dreyfus case will be referred to six prominent French jurists.
The Dominion is asked to release North-west seed grain bondsmen.
The Czar's peace message is regarded with suspicion in London.
Great Britain has secured a lease of Lorenzo Marques, Delagoa Bay.
Chamberlain admits that the Anglo-German treaty has been signed.
Several deaths of yellow fever have occurred in Louisiana and Mississippi.
President McKinley has ordered an investigation in the war department.
The foreign admirals recommended the expulsion of Turkish troops from Crete.
An English anarchist attempted to murder Queen Wilhelmina, of Holland.
Mr. Coste reports favorably on the navigation from Berlin lake to Fort Selkirk.
The Barbados conference makes a demand for aid on the British government.
Two prominent Chicago journalists were drowned in the St. John's River, Quebec.
Dominion bye-elections will not be held till after the close of the Quebec conference.
Mr. Chamberlain is likely to visit Ottawa in connection with the Pacific cable scheme.
The announcement of the Anglo-German agreement caused great excitement in Berlin.
Eight hundred native Christians and sixty-seven British subjects were killed at Candia.
The Empress Elizabeth, of Austria, was murdered by an anarchist at Geneva, Switzerland.
New Westminster, B. C., is almost completely destroyed by fire. Several lives are lost, property loss, \$3,000,000.

LOCAL.

MISTY this morning.
RIVER at a good stage for mining.
TAX woods are becoming spotted with yellow amongst the green.
BROKEN weather damaging to the crops is reported from Manitoba.
On Sept. 7th wheat was quoted at Brandon at 65c. and at Fort William at 78c.
REV. D. G. McQUEEN went to Vancouver on Saturday, on Presbyterian church business.
CRANES were seen flying southward on Sunday last. The crane is the first bird to move south in the fall.
NEW poles are being put in on the telegraph line between Edmonton and Calgary. They were much needed.
PETER MACKINAW was brought from Wetaskiwin last week and committed as a lunatic to Fort Saskatchewan.
MRS. A. HUTCHINGS, of Poplar lake, returned recently from a visit to relatives in Winnipeg and Southern Manitoba.
INVESTIGATION and a police patrol made the trip from Prince Albert to McMurray by the Long Portage route and return recently.
T. J. FLEETMAN and Mr. Johnstone, clerks of the Indian agencies at Battleford and Bear Hills, respectively, are being mutually transferred. Both make their transfer by rail instead of by rail.
No. 1, of the Innisfail Standard, is to hand. It is a four page six column, weekly, and promises to enlarge to double that size shortly. It is produced at the Calgary Herald office, Calgary. It has a good advertising patronage.
MR. and MRS. JAMES WILSON, of Stittsville, Carlton Co., Ont., arrived on Wednesday's train to visit Mr. and Mrs. R. McKernan, of South Edmonton. Mr. Wilson is much surprised at the evidences of progress and prosperity which he sees at Edmonton. He believes this district will yet be superior to the Ottawa Valley.
W. TOOLE, C. P. R. land agent at Calgary, shipped a car of grain samples grown in this district to Winnipeg on Saturday's train. The samples include wheat, oats and barley in the straw and are very fine. They will be trimmed and parcelled at Winnipeg for exhibition at Eastern Canadian fall fairs and afterwards in England. Mr. Toole went to Calgary with the shipment.
THE St. Lawrence bridge accident reported in the BULLETIN telegrams of last issue, occurred at the bridge on the Ottawa and New York railway being built across the St. Lawrence between Cornwall, Ont., and Hogansburg, New York. The bridge was nearly completed when suddenly one of the stone piers gave way carrying down two spans of the bridge on which were sixty workmen. Fourteen were killed and missing and sixteen seriously injured.
PLAINDEALER, Sept. 9th: The regular meeting of the Edmonton Presbytery has been in session this week in South Edmonton. The following ministers, students and others were in attendance: Rev. D. G. McQueen and Mr. W. J. Walker, of Edmonton; Rev. E. C. Gallup and Mr. R. Bissett, of South Edmonton; Rev. A. Forbes and Mr. Becker, of Fort Saskatchewan; Rev. W. L. Atkinson, of Innisfail; Rev. P. Naismith, of Olds; Rev. G. Veitner, of Josephburg; Mr. Stephens, of Leduc; Rev. E. Linde and Mr. Purdy, Wetaskiwin; and Mr. Geo. A. Ried, of Lacombe. Dr. Robertson, the superintendent of missions was also present part of the time.

WALKER concert on Thursday Sept. 22.
MRS. W. S. EDMONSON is visiting in Calgary.
N. ZIMMER started threshing on Stony Plain on Saturday last.
R. SECORD and James Martin left for the Landing to day on a hunting trip.
MISS MARIE CAMERON returned from Winnipeg and Rat Portage on Friday.
The whaling vessels caught last fall off Point Barrow, on the Arctic coast, are reported to have been lost.
The transcontinental railways have settled their disputes. This means no more cheap riding for the public.
An inch of rain fell at Battleford on Friday morning, Sept. 26th, accompanied by heavy thunder and lightning.
MISS MAUD DE SOUSA, who has been visiting Miss Blanche Johnston, left for her home at Calgary on Saturday morning.
LATE arrivals from down the Athabasca reported the steamer "Upas" safely past the Grand rapids on her way to Fort Smith.
The usual monthly meeting of the hospital aid society will be held in the council chamber at 3 p. m. to-morrow, 13th inst.
The Hebrew New Year will be celebrated on Saturday and Sunday next, Sept. 17th and 18th. Hebrew places of business will be closed on Saturday.
MISS BESSIE SCOTT, daughter of Judge Scott of Calgary, left for home on Saturday morning. She has been visiting her mother, Mrs. P. M. Barker.

Last week 3000 letters arrived at Edmonton post office from points down the Mackenzie river. They were brought up by H. B. steamer and transport.
S. LARUE, of Larue & Picard, returned on Friday from attending the C. M. B. A. convention at Quebec as the delegate of the Edmonton branch of the association.
REV. MR. GALLUP, South Edmonton, preached in the Presbyterian church, Edmonton, yesterday morning. W. Johnson Walker conducted the evening service.
The Pictorial prohibition committee will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in committee room (next door to Astley's grocery). All prohibition heralds are invited to attend.

BATTLEFORD Herald: "W. Tegart, photographer, left for Edmonton on Saturday, intending to make the journey on his bicycle, leaving his outfit to go up with freighters."

LESSER ROUTLEDGE left on Saturday for Lesser Slave lake and Peace River with four constables and a civilian tender. The party go by the new trail and take two double teams.
WILLIAMS and Bell of Fort Saskatchewan, who left this spring for Ft. Graham, write reporting having struck a great quantity of excellent mine on the Findlay above Graham.
FREE PRESS: Mr. Wm. Ogilvie has no instructions to investigate anything in the Yukon, outside of whatever comes within the scope of his ordinary duties as chief executive officer.

WHILE at Morinville yesterday, Frederic Villeneuve announced his candidature for the St. Albert electoral district in the legislative assembly, and declared himself an independent supporter of the Haultain government.

A LETTER from an intending immigrant residing at Grand Pre, Nova Scotia, says that pressed hay is worth \$3.00 a ton there. The grain was awfully rusted. Eggs in summer are worth 8c. a dozen and 20c. to 24c. in winter.

ABOUT twenty returned prospectors came in last night from Norman, Simpson, Smith and Chipewyan by way of the Landing. All came by steamer, and all had to track or pay for being tracked from there to the Landing, 220 miles by river.

HON. JAS. MARTIN, of the Semlin B. C. cabinet, says the Chinese must go. Mr. Martin has evidently struck something in B. C. that offers as good indications of pay as the far famed goldmine and school questions of Manitoba. Martin is the man for the job.

A PETITION is being circulated and largely signed asking for the granting of a bounty on coyotes. The petition asserts that the destruction caused amongst sheep by coyotes has caused such loss to farmers that many are giving up raising sheep.

T. W. LINES, local manager for Brackman & Ker, received telegraphic word this morning that the company's store and wharf at New Westminster were wiped out by fire, together with the greater portion of the business section of the city.

FREDERICK LAMOREUX, Alex. Lamoureux, Chas. Lemire and brother, of Fort Saskatchewan, left the Landing on May 1st last and reached Dawson on the 25th of July, going by the water route. Word of their arrival was received by letter last mail. They had struck work at \$5 a day and board.

MAJOR Johnston, leader of a prospecting party from Leamington, Essex county, Ont., arrived from Fort Simpson on Sunday evening. The party to the number of ten went up the Liard from Fort Simpson, leaving there on July 4th. This party were bound for the head of the Pelly overland, but took the water route from Peace River Crossing.

A. HERBERT and Geo. Hess returned last week from the South Pine river, in the Peace river district. Messrs. C. E. Kruse and W. F. Kaecke of the same party remained at Spirit river on the Peace, where they will winter. This party left Edmonton in February with 20 horses. They only lost four, and Messrs. Herbert and Hess brought four back in good condition. They came by the new trail from Lesser Slave lake.

IN the cricket match on Saturday E. Slocock's nine made 63 and P. Hardisty's game had to be abandoned owing to the football match. The club hope to have the ground re-marked so that both a football and cricket match can be arranged for on the same day. There will be no game next Saturday, but on the return match of married vs. single will take place.

A BAPTISTAL service was held in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening at which six infants were baptized. The service was conducted by Rev. Jas. Robertson, supt. of missions of the Presbyterian church. The parents were Mr. and Mrs. (Rev.) McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCauley, Mr. and Mrs. P. Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. McLeod (two), Mr. and Mrs. Ormair. After the baptismal service Rev. Dr. Robertson spoke at length on the missionary responsibilities of the christian church and of the Presbyterian branch of that church, especially in the Canadian west.

SOME farmers estimate that the district will have double as much wheat this year as last.

A FOOTBALL match, Stony Plain vs. Edmonton, was played on Saturday, resulting in a draw.

MRS. MCKAY, wife of chief factor Dr. McKay of the H. B. Co. arrived on Sunday evening from Chipewyan.

BUTTER 15c and still fair supply although farmers are now packing their winter stock. Eggs 15c and very scarce.

MAJOR GRIESBACH is erecting a building 20 x 30 on his property east of the post office. The building when completed will be occupied by J. B. Mercer as a wholesale liquor store.

W. CUST commenced threshing to-day from the stock. He has 200 acres of grain on his home farm all cut and fully ripe. He has also 300 acres on the Cut bank lake farm on shares, all ripe also. His crop this year is as good as last in both sample and yield.

Wheat is all cut and much of it stacked. No damage by frost is reported, although the light frosts of Aug. 31st and Sept. 1st and 2nd may have injured a few very late fields. The bulk of the oats is cut. Some fields which did not start until after the rains on June 20th or which were hailed out, are not yet ripe and may have been somewhat injured by frost, but the proportion of this class is not large. The weather has been most favorable for harvest work throughout.

FRANK HOFFMAN of Sandon, B. C., was drowned on Great Slave lake on July 17th by the boat in which he was, being swamped. Hoffman was accompanied on the trip by his wife and Messrs. Joe. Snieder and J. A. Hoffmeyer, of Sandon. They had a boat loaded with about 2,500 pounds of supplies. The boat was driven on to the rocks near the shore and was destroyed and the cargo lost. Hoffman was the only one drowned. Mrs. Hoffman and Snieder joined another Yukon-bound party and went on. Mr. Hoffmeyer returned to Edmonton, arriving last night.

MICHIGAN IMMIGRATION.
Jas. Grieve, immigration agent at Mount Pleasant, Michigan, arrived on Friday's train accompanying a large number of intending settlers from that part of the country. Mr. Grieve is working in the northern part of the southern peninsula of Michigan directly west of Saginaw. This was formerly a lumbering district and is largely peopled by ex-Canadians. With the decline of the lumber industry and the natural increase of population there is a good field for immigration work. During the present year Mr. Grieve has sent 400 people to western Canada from three counties in Michigan, most of them to Alberta. J. H. Golliver, station agent at Clare, Michigan, who accompanies Mr. Grieve on a tour of inspection, has ticketed between 135 and 140 people from that station to the Canadian west since January. The settlers arriving on Friday are: Calkins and family, Fagin and family, Humble and family, Dwyer and family, Clark and family, Campbell and family, Mrs. Youmans and family, Mr. Youmans being already here, Mrs. Bush, 50 souls in all. The party bring three cars of stock and implements. Most

of them are coming to join relatives and acquaintances already here, whose letters largely induced them to come. Since arrival Mr. Grieve has driven around the district with agent Sutter and is more than pleased with the appearance of the crops. He was here a year ago and so can bear witness this crop is not exceptional. In many cases he finds it equal to last year.

PROHIBITION MEETING.
A public meeting in the interests of prohibition was held in the Baptist church on Thursday evening last. Rev. C. B. Freeman, pastor of the church, presided. There was a fair attendance. Rev. Dr. Robertson, supt. of home missions of the Presbyterian church in Western Canada, was the principal speaker. He took a strong stand in favor of prohibition, and dwelt on the necessity of effective work in the temperance cause on the occasion of the vote about to be taken. Rev. Mr. Naismith, Presbyterian minister at Olds, and Rev. F. W. Locke, Methodist minister at Red Deer, also spoke, taking similar ground. The chairman also spoke supporting the same view.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
LOST.
A lady's small hand bag between Alberta Hotel and Fort Saskatchewan. Suitable reward for its return to the Alberta Hotel, Edmonton. 90-1

LOST.
Strayed from the premises of Jas. Ross, Edmonton, about the 20th August, one all bay mare, no brand, four years old. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to 90-3 MISS EVA FESSANT, EDMONTON.

LOST.
From the Hudson's Bay Flat, two heavy bay horses, no brands, collar galls shoes recently taken off front feet; one broncho mare, dark bay, branded on left shoulder diamond G, tail docked, small white spot in forehead. The above reward will be paid for their return to Jas. Kelly's livery stable, Edmonton. 90-4 GEORGE ATKINSON, Edmonton.

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To the Electors

OF ST. ALBERT.

GENTLEMEN:—At the request of a large number of the electors of St. Albert electoral district, I beg to offer myself as a candidate at the approaching elections to the Northwest Assembly. I propose to visit all parts of the district before election day and hope to have the opportunity of explaining my views on Territorial questions publicly and personally to the electors.
GEO. W. GAIRDNER.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

ESTRAY.

One red and white yearling steer, no brand; advertised in N. W. Gazette July 2, 1897, as found on premises of F. S. Mitchell, Edmonton. Will be offered for sale on said premises on October 1st, 1898, at 2 p. m. 90-5

\$10.00 REWARD.

Lost from Limestone lake one grey mare branded O on left shoulder, with collar. One brown horse with white face; has large knees.
IVAN SKASZUE, Edna P. O.

WANTED.

Good servant for general housework in private family. Good wages paid. Apply to
MRS. W. S. ROBERTSON.

TENDERS.

For the erection of a frame building will be received by Edmonson & Plaster up to the 17th inst.

TEACHER WANTED.

For Belmont School District No. 23, holding first or second class certificate. Applications to be in by the 20th September. Duties to begin 1st October. Apply stating salary to
JAS. PRICE, Chairman, Edmonton.

TO RENT.

A farm on shares and seed found. Apply to
G. BUTCHART, Stony Plain.

FOR SALE.

A first-class second hand organ—cheap. Apply to
J. W. KELLY.

ESTRAY.

One light bay mare, weight about 900 pounds, branded J H on left hip, about seven years old. Also one light roan mare, branded O on shoulder. Stamped and weighed as first named. Five dollars reward will be paid for their return to
JOHN PAYZANT, Morinville.

WANTED.

Boy to learn watchmaking trade and jewelry business.
S. NANKIN, Edmonton.

ESTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned on 10th inst. one old black horse branded C H on left hip, also indistinct brands on nigh shoulder and both hips; one sorrel horse, branded indistinctly, white face and four white feet; one sorrel pony, white face, left hind foot white.
MILES D. MCILLAN, St. Albert.

FARMS FOR SALE.

S. W. quarter Sec. 30, Tp. 53 (Turnip Lake).
N. E. quarter Sec. 34, Tp. 52, (Caverhill Farm).
The above are two very desirable quarter sections.
Apply to W. JOHNSTON WALKER.

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On Farm or Improved Town Property. Apply to
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To the Electors

OF THE VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN: At the request of a large number of the Electors in various portions of the district, I have consented to once more present myself for re-election.

I hope shortly to have the pleasure of meeting everybody, and earnestly publish this notice so that there can be no misconception.

Yours obediently,
F. FRASER TINS, M.L.A.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, SEPT. 27th, 1906.

PARRY SOUND IMMIGRATION.

W. A. Wilson, reeve of the township of Christie in the Parry Sound district, is visiting the Edmonton district with a view to settlement. Jas. Mitchell, one of the councillors of the same township, is visiting in the neighborhood of Killarney, Southern Manitoba, in the same interest; and John Byers, also a councillor of the township, is at Devil's Lake, North Dakota, with a similar object. The township of Christie is on the line of the Ottawa & Parry Sound railway, about 20 miles east of the town and port of Parry Sound, and somewhat further west of the Grand Trunk railway which crosses the O. & P. S. at Scotia. So that the township is most fortunately situated as to transportation facilities. There are about 175 farmers in the township. The township councillors who have been mentioned as visiting other localities in the interests of immigration are not immigration delegates. They are each one on his own account prospecting for new locations. When so many of the prominent men of a community manifest the same desire at the same time to change their location the fact has some significance. It means that if these men wish to move there must be substantial reasons for their wanting to do so; and that there are others. If the conditions in the favorably situated township of Christie induce a desire to remove it is fair to suppose that as like conditions prevail in a large number of other, and most of them less favorably situated, townships in the Parry Sound district, there is in those other townships also a desire and may be an intention on the part of the people to remove.

The conditions in the township of Christie are that the greater part of the surface of the township is rugged and rocky, yielding to cultivation with great difficulty, if at all, and at best only partially. There are a few good farms, but the greater number are too rugged to be capable of successful cultivation. With a brisk local market for produce and a lively demand for labor during the slack seasons on the farms farming would be fairly profitable. This condition prevailed while lumbering was in progress in the neighboring country, and was the cause of the district being settled. But lumbering has practically ceased within a distance that allows it to be of any benefit to the settlers of Christie township. After the lumbering was done there was pulp wood, tan bark and possibly a little cordwood to give slight and unremunerative employment to the farmers, but the local market for their produce, which the lumbering afforded, failed with the closing up of that industry, and instead of having the advantage of the freight on produce in his favor, the Parry Sound farmer now has the freight against him in getting to an outside market. The limited amount of production prevents the possibility of a good export produce market being established. Consequently even the man on a good farm finds himself facing a difficult market, and the man on a poor farm finds the pulp wood and tan bark on which he depended during recent years becoming exhausted, and nothing else in sight. This is a condition which prevails throughout the Parry Sound district of say 100 townships, and as a consequence a very large number of the people will move away before long. No doubt many will stay, but there is less doubt that many will go—some where, the only question is where.

This is a question that is worthy of the most serious consideration of our immigration department. Here are thousands of people who certainly will remove from their present location. If Canada was an island, most likely they would remove to the Northwest. But Canada is not an island. If Canada has an active immigration policy so have certain interests amongst our neighbors. The Parry Sound people would be desirable settlers in any country. This fact is not unknown to United States immigration agents. Hundreds of people from the Parry Sound, as from other districts of Canada, have gone

to the States. While the people are naturally favorable to our own country, and while we have a better country here for settlement than exists in the United States, it is still possible that, given active and energetic United States agents working in that district, offering special inducements in the way of cheap railway fares, etc., and using all the arguments that immigration agents can use, many of them can be induced to go to the States unless some counteracting influence is brought to bear. Are we to shut our eyes to the facts of this case and lose hundreds or perhaps thousands of our own people to the United States, where so many hundreds have already gone, or are we to use reasonable endeavors to retain our own people in our own country by securing them such low rates of transportation, both as land seekers and as immigrants, as are accorded the people from every other country on earth; and in other ways place before them the fact that they are wanted in their own country; which as yet has not been made very prominent?

NORTHERN STEAMERS.

G. P. Phillips, government steamboat inspector for the west, has furnished the BULLETIN with a statement of the steamers and their tonnage and routes now operating on the waters of the Mackenzie and the Saskatchewan. Mackenzie river:

Wrigley, 130.19 tons, H. B. Co.
St. Joseph, 29.91 tons, Roman Catholic mission.

Sparrow, 49.28 tons, G. T. Leitch, wintering at Grand Rapids of Athabasca, but intended for Mackenzie river.

Edmonton, 50 tons, Alaska Navigation Co.

Upas, 16.71 tons, W. Connor, being taken down the Athabasca this fall.

Uncle Sam, 7.79 tons, Garden City, 9.67 tons; Minne-ha-ha, 9.85 tons; Empire, 3.70 tons; Lillian B., 4.69 tons. These boats were owned by prospectors and their destination was Peel river.

The Enterprise, a miner's boat, had gone up Peel river before Mr. Phillips reached there, and canvas boat was swamped in Great Slave lake.

Athabasca and Slave river:

Graham, 359.48 tons, H. B. Co.

St. Alphonse, 24.94 tons, Roman Catholic Mission.

Alpha, 7.50 tons, Alaska Navigation Co.

Daisy Bell, 7.65 tons, owner's name not given.

Saskatchewan river:

Otter, 78.89 tons, now building, for the Hogue Gold Dredging Co.

Norah, 4.69, Percy Hardisty.

Princess Helen, 2.03.

Minnow, Fort Saskatchewan Milling Co.

YUKON LANDS.

Land in the Yukon district may be sold in blocks of forty acres, at \$10 an acre cash, all minerals being reserved, with right of entry to mine. Sales are made only after approval by the commissioner. If within ten years from the date of sale any part of the tract purchased becomes a town site by being occupied by 200 persons within one mile square, one-third of the area purchased reverts to the crown.

Town sites may be located by the commissioner wherever he may please, Dawson City, Fort Selkirk and mouth of Stewart river are suggested as such sites. At all important points a reserve of 40 acres or more is to be made. No land to be sold within 100 feet of the edge of a navigable stream. Government town lots are to be sold by auction after 30 days advertisement in Yukon papers. After the first sale of any town site, lots on that town site may be sold at the discretion of the commissioner. Anthracite coal lands will be sold at \$40 an acre and ordinary coal lands at \$20 an acre. Licenses and permits for hay and grazing lands will be granted under general regulations. The minister of interior may authorize blocks of land of any size to be surveyed and sold by public auction.

YUKON GOVERNMENT.

The council appointed to assist Commissioner Ogilvie in the administration of the Yukon is composed of F. C. Wier, legal adviser; S. B. Steele, superintendent of police; Judge T. H. McGuire and J. E. Girouard, registrar. The commissioner may veto any ordinance of the council, or may reserve any ordinance for consideration of the governor-in-council. Appointments to offices created by local ordinances or supported out of local revenues are made by the commissioner, but may be disapproved by the governor-in-council. Revenues under local ordinances are expended under ordinances of the commissioner-in-council.

YUKON REVENUE.

The revenue collected for the Canadian government in the Yukon for the seven months ending with July is thus stated: Sale of lots in Dawson, \$28,450; liquor permits, \$6,829; certificates and licenses issued by gold commissioner, \$90,964; fines, \$1,695;

lease of water front for three months, \$7,500; crown timber account, \$923; customs, \$38,000; royalty on gold produced, \$351,783; total \$526,115. In addition \$24,000 was collected on behalf of the Northwest Territorial government for saloon licenses.

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GOLF TOURNAMENT.
The first tournament of the Edmonton Golf Club was held on the links on Saturday and Monday, the 3rd and 5th instants. The attendance was much much larger than was expected, fully 100 spectators being present on the links on Monday, when the tournament was brought to a successful termination. During the course of the afternoon, lunch was served by the ladies to the members of the club in the historic "Big House," a relic of Hudson's Bay regime, now converted into a comfortable club. The links were in splendid condition owing to the dry weather of the last month, and all things combined to make the event a thoroughly enjoyable one.

The several events were won as follows:

SATURDAY.	
Gentlemen's medal play:	
N. D. Beck, 112 owed 15,	97
L. Adamson, scratch,	99
R. A. Ruttar, scratch,	102
Ladies' medal play:	
Mrs. Jellett, 70 owed 10,	60
Mrs. Wilson, 72 owed 10,	62
Miss Slocock, 75 owed 10,	66
Distance driving:	
Gentlemen, L. Adamson,	224 yards.
Ladies, Miss Young,	139 yards.
Putting:	
Gentlemen, E. C. Emery.	
Ladies, Miss Young.	
Approach shots:	
R. A. Ruttar; Mrs. E. A. Braithwaite.	
MONDAY.	
Gentlemen's foursomes:	
A. B. McCleneghan, T. Lines,	100
R. A. Ruttar, L. Adamson,	101
J.M. Lay, N.D. Beck 115 owed 15,	101
Ladies' foursomes:	
Mrs. Wilson, Miss A. Slocock,	61
Miss Young, Miss R. Slocock,	65
Mrs. Cowie, Mrs. Braithwaite,	68
Mixed Foursomes:	
Mrs. Cowie, C. S. W. Bridges,	106
Miss Young, E.F. Slocock, scratch,	109
Miss A. Slocock, R. A. Ruttar,	111

BOWDEN.
Harvesting is progressing rapidly. The grain has ripened well and is as yet uninjured by frost. The yield of grain promises to be good though there will be less straw than last year.

Mr. Morris' house is rapidly nearing completion. Mr. Sibley, the builder, has, we understand, secured the contract of building Mr. Campbell's new store near the station—for we have a station in Bowden now. With a station and a store for a beginning we may expect to see Bowden a town very soon. Tena and Willie Naismith leave for south Edmonton shortly, where they will attend the public school under Mr. D. S. MacKenzie. W. J. Doherty had a very painful accident recently. While chopping poles the other day he cut a gash in his foot. Though still very painful he is able to be about again. Rev. Peter Naismith, of this place is now the happy father of another son. Sept. 8, '98.

SOUTH EDMONTON EXHIBITION.
Programme of events on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 4th and 5th.

First day:
3 minute trot or pace, 3 in 5, mile, \$60.00
Farmer's trot, 2 in 3, half mile, 30.00
Open run, 2 in 3, half mile, 50.00
Quarter mile run, 2 in 3, 2 year olds, 25.00

Second day:
Open trot or pace, 3 in 5, mile, 60.00
Novelty, horses to walk half mile, trot half mile and run half mile, under saddle, 15.00
Mile dash, open, 25.00
Pony race, 2 in 3, 1/4 mile, 144 hands, 15.00
Trot for delivery horses, 2 in 3, half mile, green horses, owners up. 1st, 60 per cent. of purse, 2nd 40 per cent. Entrance \$2.50.

Entrances for events 1, 3, 5 and 7 must be in by October 3rd.
Trap shooting:
Medal, value \$10, members of South Edmonton gun club, 15 singles, 5 doubles.
Medal, value \$10, members of any gun club, 15 singles and 5 doubles.

Speakease events arranged on grounds. Entrance 50c, birds free.
Foot races:
2 1/2 miles, go as you please, \$10 and \$5, entrance \$1.00.
220 yards, \$5 and \$3, entrance 50c.
100 yards, \$5 and \$3, entrance 50c.

A MILLION AND A HALF OF TRADE.
An estimate of the amount of merchandise sold at Edmonton during the year ending Sept. 1st, was made last week by C. Gallagher, president of the board of trade, after consultation with the leading merchants. The amount is somewhere between one and a quarter and one and a half million. The increase over the former year was placed at 30 to 50 per cent. by the various firms. Of this increase say 20 to 25 per cent. or one-fourth of the total trade was due to the Yukon rush.

Fruit dealers all over the country, says the Toronto News, are much interested in the circular that has just been sent out by the G. T. R., announcing an increase in the fruit rates from all points in Canada to Winnipeg and other western points. This means that last year's rates will be restored, the rate for barrel apples per hundred-weight under the new tariff being 72 cents. The G. T. R. rate for the same points is only 48 cents. The shippers in the vicinity of St. Catharines will feel the increase most keenly.

LAWN TENNIS.
The fall tournament of the South Edmonton lawn tennis courts will be held on Wednesday, the 14th inst., and will last four days, the finals to be played on Saturday, the 17th inst.
Three courts, one cinder and two grass, will be provided. The intention is to have most of the games played between the hours of three and six o'clock. There will be the usual events, namely ladies' singles, mixed doubles, gentlemen's singles, gentlemen's doubles. The entrance fee for each event is: Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Players will be notified by the secretary as soon as the draws have been made. Each player will then learn exactly how many games he or she has to play and also the hour, so that no complaint can be made. Any players who is not at the courts at the scheduled time forfeit the game. If, however, those who are unable to contest their game at the hour set will notify the secretary in ample time, an effort will be made to have the game played at another hour. Every tennis player, even if not a member of the club is heartily invited to make entries. It is hoped that everyone will endeavor to make the tournament a success. The committee in charge of the tournament is composed of Messrs. H. Wilson, T. W. Lines, E. F. Slocock, J. H. Morris.

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FROM PEEL RIVER.
W. R. Howey returned from Peel river on Friday afternoon by way of the Athabasca. He left Macpherson on July 23rd on the H. B. steamer Wrigley, took the Graham from Smith to McMurray and came by row boat up the Athabasca from McMurray.

In company with a man named Bond Mr. Howey attempted to cross over from the Peel to the Porcupine by way of Rat River. They had a skiff, with about 1,600 pounds of cargo and an Indian guide. In the swift water they doubled with Purches and Filadeau. The latter two went through. Had Howey and Bond been more lightly loaded, say 1,000 pounds to the boat they could have got through. As it was they found the labor and delay greater than the value of the supplies. After returning down the Rat river Bond walked across the portage to La Pierre's house.

Rat river enters the Peel by two mouths, about 20 miles apart. The upper mouth about 20 miles below Macpherson is directly opposite the head of the right hand fork of the Peel up which the boats come from the Mackenzie. The lower mouth of Rat river, is about twenty miles further north and enters the left hand or westerly fork of the Peel, called the Huskie river. The upper fork of the Rat river gives the shortest route from Macpherson and is generally taken in high water, as it has very little current. It passes through a maze of 26 lakes, which should not be attempted without a guide, and in low water it becomes too shallow for travel. The more northerly mouth is the main stream, it is direct, and is deep at all seasons. From the Peel to the foot of the rapids on Rat river is about 25 miles, or two days paddling. There is very little current, but the banks do not admit of tracking or the bottom of piling. From this point up the stream is very crooked and swift, falling 1,200 feet in about twenty-five miles direct. From the head of slack water, on Rat river to steamboat navigation on Bell river, is 35 miles. A survey for a road was made some years ago by James McDougall, H. B. Co. factor, and it was pronounced easily practicable. After working seven days in the rapids and making about ten miles, as the water was lowering and the rapids getting more difficult, Messrs. Howey and Bond gave up the attempt and returned to Macpherson. Mr. Howey is of the opinion that about that time or soon after the water would be altogether too low to take boats through. The best plan for the prospectors who were over loaded with supplies was to prospect the Peel river for the rest of the season and go into winter quarters at the head of slack water on Rat river, pulling over the 35 miles to Bell river in the winter. This would be much better than taking the portage from Macpherson to La Pierre's house. The river banks from Macpherson down do not admit of prospecting as there is no gravel. Being in the delta of the Mackenzie, the mud brought down by the rivers overflows everything. The banks are low and become flooded all the way below Macpherson. The mountains to be crossed are not nearly as rugged as the Rockies, west of Calgary. There is grass around the lakes mentioned. The surface of the country generally is frozen and covered with moss. There was frost every night while the party were attempting to ascend Rat river.

The ordinary charge for packing across the portage from Macpherson to La Pierre's house was \$12 per 100. Time, five to six days with loads of 50 to 100 pounds; and two to three days returning light. Of course much higher prices were paid by the prospectors. The principal cost was not what the Indians charged so much as what the miners gave away.

The Baudett party from Peace River Crossing were the first of those who started this year to reach Macpherson. They arrived on June 24th. Milne and Gill arrived from Athabasca Landing on the 25th. The Brown-Morse party arrived on July 7th. They went up Peel river, as also did Moody and Smith, of the Fresno party.

Up to July 26th 457 prospectors called at Fort Good Hope on the Arctic Circle, on their way down to Peel river. The Wrigley met 13 boats between Macpherson and Good Hope, and five between Good Hope and Norman. Buffalo Jones was at Norman on his way out by the Yukon. He said he has secured several musk ox calves, but they were not to be seen. Two boats were met between Norman and Wrigley, one between Wrigley and Simpson, and five between Simpson and Providence. None were seen on Great Slave lake as the Wrigley did not take the boat route. Probably a dozen were lying at Resolution. Some waiting for the return of the Wrigley to tow them across Great Slave lake, and some interested in the reported silver strike on the islands in the lake. A number were at Fort Smith, having passed the portage there. Gilmour, formerly of the H. B. office, Edmonton, was at Smith. At Resolution and Chipewyan were several parties who had come to McMurray by the Prince Albert route. One party had left Prince Albert early in May and had reached Chipewyan on August 15th,

after a very hard trip. They were much discouraged and thought of tracking up Peace River.

The steamer Enterprise had gone up the Peel, which is said to be navigable for about 100 miles. Hendrix had sold his steamer to the H. B. Co. at Norman. The Minne-ha-ha had gone up the Liard. The Lillian B was at Fort Smith. A Mr. Jones had a steamer at Resolution. The canvas steamer had been wrecked on Great Slave lake. No one drowned.

Mr. Howey left his winter camp on the Liard at the mouth of the Beaver on May 5th. The river broke on the 4th.

During his winter trip south from Fort Nelson, when a day and a half from Nelson river he saw the names, Gilbert Velgus, Harry Garbett and W. Taylor, marked with charcoal on newly blazed trees without date and the words, "Looking for the Liard."

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Queen's—Myron D. Smith, E. H. Gendner, Eugene Brown, Chicago; Louis Lepage, E. Simons, J. Harris, F. Lamoureux, Fort Saskatchewan; Geo. A. Metcalfe, Winnipeg; E. Nolan, Calgary; P. Young, Lonsdale, W. Pittner, Philadelphia; A. Higginson, Beaver, B. C.; John Hopp, Miss Marquette, W. C. Staton, Anacoda, Montana; Albert Raney, Silas Preen, Woonsocket, Rhode Island; J. H. Hoffman, Sanborn; L. V. Hambleton, Chicago; D. E. Ryan, M. H. Laughlin, T. V. Cameron and wife, Butte, Montana; R. T. Roberts, London, Eng.; C. D. R. Boggs, Hamilton, Ont.; A. B. Boughan, Emil A. Kuratowski, Chicago; J. W. Dadds, R. Fletcher, H. McLean, S. J. Trencott, M. McKinlay, A. E. Groat, Stony Plain; J. M. Moran, Beaver Hills.

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Candia, the capital of the island of Crete, was reported in the telegrams of last issue to have been bombarded by the warships of the Germans. The island is nominally a part of Turkey, but the population are chiefly Greek Christians. The Christian powers assumed control of the island some years ago to ensure the protection of the Christians. In the enforcement of that control offence was given to the Mahometans who began rioting. The British were the principal sufferers, their consul being reported killed. The bombardment was merely a gentle hint to the Mahometans that Turkey was not in business in Crete.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
Thursday, 8,	64	37
Friday, 9,	75	37
Saturday, 10,	82	40
Sunday, 11,	81	40
Monday, 12,	47	47

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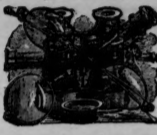


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